Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

March 23, 2023

Chairwoman Granger Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

Ranking Member DeLauro Committee on Appropriations H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

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I am requesting funding for the Carbon County Industrial Park in fiscal year 2024.

The entity to receive funding for this project is Carbon County, located at 3000 East 4400 South Parcel #02-2215-0000 and #02-1808-0001 Price Utah 84501.

The funding would be used for the building of infrastructure for an industrial park. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because with the closure of Carbon County's big power plant, the planned closure of the second plant this year, and the closure of all but one coal mine, the county's local tax burden has been shifted from industry to homeowners. The county recognizes the only way to change this burden is to bring in new industry. Three companies have made commitments to locate here but need help with infrastructure, land and water.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(1). I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

John R. Curtis Member of Congress